

Vanderlip, F. A., Sr.  
[Frank Arthur]

[National City Bank, NYC], 1909-1914



AUDUBON PARK  
156TH STREET, WEST OF BROADWAY  
NEW YORK

23 October 1909

My dear Mr. Belden:

Will you kindly bring up the name of  
Mr. Frank A. Vanderlip, President of the National  
City Bank, for consideration for election as a member  
of the Council? He would be an excellent acqui-  
sition, I think, if elected.

Yours truly

*Archer M. Huntington*

Bauman L. Belden, Esqr., Director  
The American Numismatic Society  
New York City

I NOMINATE

Mr. Frank A. Vanderlip,

National City Bank,

New York.

AS A MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY.

Edward D. Adams

October 23, 1909.

INITIATION FEE, \$10.00.

ANNUAL DUES, \$10.00.

LIFE MEMBERSHIP FEE, \$100.00.

71 BROADWAY.  
NEW YORK.

November 5, 1909.

Bauman L. Belden, Esq.,  
American Numismatic Society,  
156th St., West of Broadway,  
New York City.

Dear Mr. Belden:

Replying to your letter of the 4th inst:

I return herewith my nomination of Mr. Vanderlip for membership of the society.

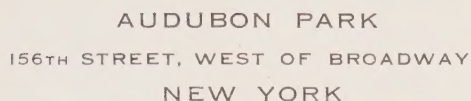
I will attend to the Whitehead & Hoag Co.  
matters.

Very truly yours,

*Edward D. Adams.*

Enc.





November 17, 1909.

Dear Sir :

I have the honor to inform you that you were elected a member of The American Numismatic Society at a meeting held on the 15<sup>th</sup> inst, on the nomination of Mr. Edward D. Adams.

Kindly advise me of your acceptance, also if you desire to become a life member.

Very Respectfully,

Mr. Frank. A. Vanderlip,  
New York.

Recording Secretary.

Initiation Fee,	\$ 10.00
Annual Dues (payable in advance)	\$ 10.00
or	
Life Membership fee (in lieu of initiation fee and all dues)	\$100.00

*The National City Bank  
of New York.*

*New York.*

CAPITAL FULLY PAID      \$ 25,000,000.  
SURPLUS                    \$ 25,000,000.  
CABLE ADDRESS "CITIBANK"

November 24th, 1909.

Mr. Bauman L. Belden, Recording Secretary,  
The American Numismatic Society,  
156th Street, West of Broadway, New York.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Vanderlip asks me to acknowledge your letter of  
November 17th advising that on the nomination of Mr. Edward D.  
Adams he has been elected a member of The American Numismatic  
Society.

I enclose herewith Mr. Vanderlip's check for \$20.00,  
covering his initiation fee and dues for the coming year.

Very truly yours,

*Ames Higginz*

H/L

January 18, 1910.

Mr. Frank A. Vanderlip,  
National City Bank,  
New York.

Dear Sir:

I take great pleasure in informing you that you were elected a member of the Council, of this Society, for the term of two years, at the annual meeting on January 17th.

A meeting of the Council will be held, in the Society's building, on Saturday, January 22d, at 2.30 P. M., for the election of officers and other business.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.



February 14, 1910.

Mr. Frank A. Vanderlip,  
National City Bank,  
New York.

Dear Sir:-

I take pleasure in informing you that the Governors of this Society have appointed you Chairman of the Committee on United States Medals, Mr. Augustus C. Heaton, Carnegie Hall, New York, and Dr. George P. Kunz, C/o Messrs. Tiffany & Co., 401 Fifth Avenue, New York, are the other members of the Committee.

Trusting that this will be agreeable to you, I am, believe me,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.



*The National City Bank  
of New York.*

CAPITAL FULLY PAID      \$ 25,000,000.  
SURPLUS                    \$ 25,000,000.  
CABLE ADDRESS "CITIBANK"

*New York,*

February 16th, 1910

Mr. Bauman L. Belden, Secretary,  
The American Numismatic Society,  
156th Street West of Broadway,  
New York City.

My dear Mr. Belden:

Your letter of February 14th is received, and  
I have pleasure in accepting the Chairmanship of the  
Committee on United States Medals.

As I know nothing at all of the detail of the  
work, I shall naturally take no initiative action with-  
out having some word from you or the other members of  
the Committee.

Very truly yours,

FAV/L

*F Alexander*

*The National City Bank  
of New York.*

CAPITAL FULLY PAID      \$ 25,000,000.  
SURPLUS                    \$ 25,000,000.  
CABLE ADDRESS "CITIBANK"

*New York.*

March 16th, 1910

Mr. Bauman L. Belden, Secretary,  
The American Numismatic Society,  
156th Street, West of Broadway,  
New York City.

Dear Sir:

On behalf of Mr. Vanderlip, I desire to  
acknowledge receipt of your notice of a regular  
meeting of your Society on March 21st. Mr. Van-  
derlip is at present abroad, and therefore will  
not be able to avail of your invitations for some  
time to come.

Very truly yours,

H/L

*Ames Higgins*

# *The National City Bank of New York.*

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SURPLUS                    \$ 25,000,000.  
CABLE ADDRESS "CITIBANK"

*New York.*

E/V  
*Ames Higgins*



lip, Chairman,  
Committee on United States Medals,  
National City Bank,

At a meeting of the Society on Saturday  
last, I presented to the members the notification of each stockholder  
of the date of the annual meeting, at which time the annual re-  
ports should be presented.

The annual meeting will be held on Saturday, January 11, 1914.

The other two members of your committee are Dr. J. H. Munz,  
J. Tiffany & Company, Fifth Avenue and 37th Street, and Augustus C. Heaton,  
Carnegie Hall, New York.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.



January 28rd, 1912.

Mr. Frank A. Vanderlip,  
National City Bank,  
New York.

Dear Sir:-

I take pleasure in informing you that at the annual meeting of this Society held January 20th, 1912, you were re-elected a member of the Council for the term of five years.

Trusting that this is agreeable to you, I am,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.



*The National City Bank  
of New York.*

OFFICE OF  
THE PRESIDENT

*New York,*

February 5, 1912.

Bauman L. Belden, Esq., Secretary,  
The American Numismatic Society,  
156th Street, West of Broadway,  
New York City.

Dear Sir:

Upon my return from a short trip, I  
find your letter of January 23rd, advising me of  
my re-election as a member of the Council of the  
American Numismatic Society, at its annual meet-  
ing held on the twentieth instant.

Very truly yours,

*W. A. R. Smith*

February 5th, 1913.

Mr. Frank A. Vanderlip,  
National City Bank,  
New York.

Dear Sir:-

I take pleasure in informing you that the Governors have appointed you a member of the Committee on United States Coins, of which Mr. Augustus G. Rehn, Rochester, New York, is chairman, and Mr. Julius deLagerberg, 70 Park Avenue, Passaic, New Jersey, the other member.

Trusting that this will be agreeable to you, I am,  
Very truly yours,

Secretary.

*The National City Bank  
of New York.*

OFFICE OF  
THE PRESIDENT

*New York,*

February 6, 1913.

Mr. Bauman L. Belden, Sec.,  
The American Numismatic Society,  
156th St., West of Broadway,  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In the absence of Mr. Vanderlip, who is at present in Florida, where he will make an indefinite stay, I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of February 5th, relative to Mr. Vanderlip's appointment as a member of the Committee on United States Coins, which I shall take pleasure in calling to his attention as soon as he returns to the city.

Very truly yours,

*Edward R. Currier*  
Secretary.



*The National City Bank  
of New York.*

OFFICE OF  
THE PRESIDENT

*New York,*

March 1, 1913.

Mr. Bauman L. Belden, Secretary,  
The American Numismatic Society,  
156th Street, West of Broadway,  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of February 5th has been brought to my attention upon my return from a stay of several weeks in Florida. I appreciate the courtesy of the Governors in appointing me a member of the Committee on United States Coins and accept with pleasure. I shall, however, have to make the reservation that it will be impossible for me to give much active service, and in case this is not agreeable to the Governors you are, of course, at liberty to recall my appointment.

Very truly yours,

*W Alexander*

(COPY)

May 12, 1913.

The Director,

The American Numismatic Society,  
156th Street, West of Broadway,  
New York City.

Dear Sir:-

You will undoubtedly be much disappointed to learn that the appeal sent to the Committee on Coins & Medals, by The American Numismatic Society and the American Numismatic Association, asking that medals be placed on the free list, has apparently been passed over without action, due no doubt to the fact that the Committee's time was too short to give it consideration.

I am assured that if the matter can be brought to the attention of the United States Senators from New York, it will still be possible to accomplish the desired end and aim, therefore, writing to ask whether you can suggest any way in which their aid can be secured.

Enclosed you will find a copy of the brief sent to the Committee on Coins & Medals, which clearly defines the status of the Medal. The Committee on Foreign Medals would greatly appreciate it if the Society could place us in a position to explain further or exhibit to any one who could help us, the types which we contend should enter duty free.

Respectfully yours,

(Signed) ROBERT JAMES FIDLITZ,  
Chairman,  
Committee on Foreign Medals.

May 13th, 1913.

Mr. Frank A. Vanderlip,  
National City Bank,  
New York.

Dear Sir:-

I enclose herewith a communication just received from Mr. Robert James Fidlitz, Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Medals of this Society, which is self explanatory.

Mr. Fidlitz is desirous of bringing this matter to the attention of Senator Root, and it has occurred to me that you might be able to put him in the way of obtaining an interview, or of getting some one, who might be able to help, to take an interest in it.

I think that anything that would tend to the improvement of medallion art in this country is most important, and the more chance our people have of seeing the really good things from abroad the more desire will be created for the production of good things here.

Should you be able to help us, will you kindly communicate with Mr. Fidlitz direct.

Very truly yours,

Director.



May 26th, 1918.

Mr. Frank A. Vanderlip,  
National City Bank,  
New York.

Dear Mr. Vanderlip:-

I enclose herewith a copy of a report made by the Librarian to the Chairman of the Committee on Library, which I have been directed by the Council, to send to each member of the Council for his information.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

*The National City Bank  
of New York.*

OFFICE OF  
THE PRESIDENT

*New York,*

September 8 1913.

Mr. Bauman L. Belden, Director,  
The American Numismatic Society,  
156th Street, West of Broadway,  
New York City.

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of the reports of the Curator  
and Librarian of the American Numismatic Society, and  
thank you for the same. The views expressed as to  
the details of the coin exhibit to be begun in January  
meet my approval, also the other suggestions.

Very truly yours,

*Alexander*

*The National City Bank  
of New York.*

OFFICE OF  
THE PRESIDENT

*New York,*  
February 11, 1914.

The Secretary,  
American Numismatic Society,  
Audubon Park, New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith my check for \$15.00 for membership dues to January 16th, 1915. There are so many matters demanding my attention, and I have become interested in so many outside organizations, that I feel I must eliminate such as in the past I have found opportunity to give the least activity. I must ask, therefore, that this be accepted as my resignation from the Society.

Very truly yours,

*F. A. Vanderlip*



February 16th, 1914.

Mr. Frank A. Vanderlip,  
National City Bank,  
New York.

Dear Sir:-

I have your letter of February 11th with check for \$15.00 for membership dues to February 16th, 1915, and I return the check herewith as you did not sign it.

I note with regret your resignation of membership, and I feel in a little doubt as to whether your intention is to resign entirely from the Society or only as a member of the Council, to which you were elected in January 1912 for the term of five years.

I would be very glad to be informed as to your wishes in the matter, so that when I present it to the Council for action I will make no mistake.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.



*The National City Bank  
of New York*

OFFICE OF  
THE PRESIDENT

*New York*

February 18 1914

Mr. B. L. Belden, Secretary,  
The American Numismatic Society,  
Broadway at 156th Street,  
New York City.

My dear Sir:-

Your letter of February 16th has been  
received.

I regret very much that the check should  
have been sent you unsigned. I am returning it here-  
with, signed.

Mr. Vanderlip is away at the present time,  
but I know that his intention was to resign from the  
Numismatic Society, as well as the Council. He has  
felt for some time that he ought to curtail his  
nominal participation, as well as actual participation,  
in some activities of this nature, and has rather  
regretfully withdrawn from two or three such organi-  
zations.

Thanking you for your courtesy in the  
matter, I am,

Very truly yours,

*E. R. Currier*  
Secretary.